

# 6/11 Calc 3

Last time

Can compute higher  
partials

Ex)  $z = g(x, y) = x^3 + 3x^6y^2 - y^6$

$$\begin{aligned}g_x &= 3x^2 + 18x^5y^2 \\g_y &= 6x^6y - 10y^5\end{aligned}$$

Second partial derivatives,

$$g_{xx} = (g_x)_x = 6x + 90x^4y^2$$

$$g_{xy} = (g_x)_y = \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left( \frac{\partial g}{\partial x} \right) = 36x^5y$$

$$g_{yy} = (g_y)_y = 6x^6 - 10y^8$$

$$g_{yx} = (g_y)_x = 36x^5y \quad \text{← same}$$

Theorem: If  $f_{xy}$  and  $f_{yx}$  are continuous on an open disk around  $(x_0, y_0) = (a, b)$ ,

Then  $f_{xy}(a, b) = f_{yx}(a, b)$

{ And similarly with other mixed partial higher derivatives }

$$\underline{\text{Ex2}} \quad w = h(x, y, z) =$$

$$3x^2y - 5y \cos z + \underline{ze^x} + \underline{\ln xy}$$

$$\rightarrow h_x = 6xy + \cancel{ye^x} + \frac{1}{x}$$

$$\rightarrow h_y = 3x^2 - 5\sin z + xe^x + \frac{1}{y}$$

$$h_2 = +5y \sin z + e^{xy}$$

Now find 2nd particular:

$$h_{xx} = 6y + y^2 z e^{xy} + \frac{1}{x^2}$$

$$h_{xy} = h_{yx} = 6x + 2ze^{xy} + xyze^{xy}$$

$$h_{xz} = h_{zx} = ye^{xy}$$

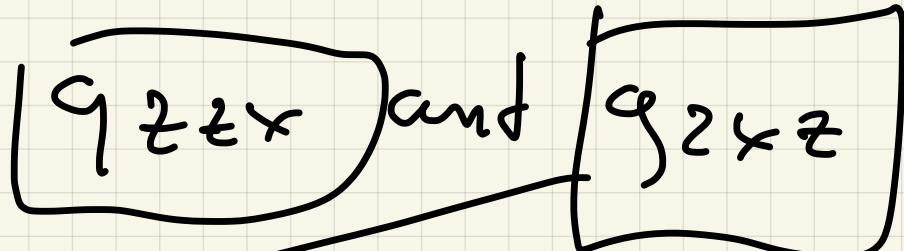
$$h_{yy} = x^2 z e^{xy} - \frac{1}{y^2}$$

$$h_{zy} = h_{yz} = 5 \sin z + xe^{xy}$$

$$h_{zz} = 5y \cos z$$

Ex 3  $g(x, y, z) = \sin(xy^2 z)$

Composed



$$(g_z) = + \underbrace{\cos(xy^2 z)}_{\text{left}} \cdot \underbrace{xy^2}_{\text{right}}$$

$$g_{xx} = \underbrace{y^2}_{\text{constant}} \underbrace{\sin(xy^2)}_{\text{inner function}} \cdot \underbrace{x^2 y^2}_{\text{outer function}} + y^2 \cos(xy^2) \cdot 2xy$$

$$g_{xzx} = -y^2 \sin(xy^2) \cdot x^2 y^2 - y^2 z \cos(xy^2) (x^2 y^2) \cdot (x^2 y^2) - y^2 \sin(xy^2) \cdot (x^2 y^2)$$

$$g_{xz} = -\sin(xy^2) \cdot \underbrace{(x^2 y^2)(x^2 y^2)}_{\text{constant}} - \underbrace{x^2 y^4}_{\text{inner function}} \sin(xy^2) \cdot \underbrace{\sin(xy^2)}_{\text{outer function}}$$

$$\boxed{g_{zz}} = -2x^2 y^4 \sin(xy^2) - x^2 y^4 \cos(xy^2) \cdot (y^2 z)$$

§ 13.4 Chain Rule:

If  $z = f(x, y)$  and  $x = g(t)$   
 $y = h(t)$  are functions of  $t$ ,  
then  $z = f(x, y) = f(g(t), h(t))$

and  $\frac{dz}{dt} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \cdot \frac{dx}{dt} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \cdot \frac{dy}{dt}$

Ex 1  $t = \underbrace{x^2 + xy + y^3}_{f(x,y)}$

$$x = t^2$$

$$y = t^3$$

(a) Find  $\frac{dz}{dt}$  with chain rule

(b) Check by substitution.

(a) Chain rule :

$$\frac{dz}{dt} = \underbrace{\frac{\partial z}{\partial x} \frac{dx}{dt}}_{(2x+y)(2t)} + \underbrace{\frac{\partial z}{\partial y} \cdot \frac{dy}{dt}}_{(x+3y^2)(3t^2)}$$

$$= (2x+y)(2t) + (x+3y^2)(3t^2)$$

$$= (2t^2+t^3)(2t) + (t^2+3t^6)(3t^2)$$

$$= 4t^3 + 2t^4 + 3t^4 + 9t^8$$

$$= 4t^3 + 5t^4 + 9t^8$$

$$(b) z = f(x, y) = x^2 + xy + y^3$$

$$x = t^2$$

$$y = t^3$$

$$= t^4 + t^5 + t^9$$
$$dz/dt = 4t^3 + 5t^4 + 9t^8 \quad \checkmark$$

More sophisticated:

$$z = f(x, y), \quad x = g(s, t)$$

$$y = h(s, t)$$

$$z = f(x, y) = f(g(s, t), h(s, t))$$

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$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial s} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \cdot \frac{\partial x}{\partial s} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \cdot \frac{\partial y}{\partial s}$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \frac{\partial x}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \cdot \frac{\partial y}{\partial t}$$

$$\underline{\text{Ex 2}} \quad z = \arctan\left(\frac{y}{x}\right) \quad \leftarrow$$

$$\boxed{x = r \cos \theta} \quad \leftarrow$$

$$y = r \sin \theta$$

Find  $\frac{\partial z}{\partial r}$  and  $\frac{\partial z}{\partial \theta}$

with chain rule

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial r} = \boxed{\frac{\partial z}{\partial x}} \cdot \boxed{\frac{\partial x}{\partial r}} + \boxed{\frac{\partial z}{\partial y}} \cdot \boxed{\frac{\partial y}{\partial r}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{1 + \left(\frac{y}{x}\right)^2} \left( -\frac{y}{x^2} \right) \cos \theta +$$

$$\frac{1}{1 + \left(\frac{y}{x}\right)^2} \cdot \frac{1}{x} \cdot \sin \theta =$$

$$\frac{-y}{x^2 + y^2} \cos \theta + \frac{x}{x^2 + y^2} \sin \theta$$

$$\frac{-r \sin \theta \cos \theta}{r^2 \cos^2 \theta + r^2 \sin^2 \theta} + \frac{r \cos \theta \sin \theta}{r^2}$$

$\cancel{r^2}$

$$= \frac{-r \sin \theta \cos \theta + r \cos \theta \sin \theta}{r^2} = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial z}{\partial \theta} &= (\cancel{z_x}) x_6 + (\cancel{z_y}) y_6 \\ &= \frac{-y}{x^2+y^2} (-r \sin \theta) + \frac{x}{x^2+y^2} r \cos \theta \\ &\quad + \frac{\cancel{r^2} \sin^2 \theta}{\cancel{r^2}} + \frac{\cancel{r^2} \cos^2 \theta}{\cancel{r^2}} = 1.\end{aligned}$$

Reason for simple answers :

$$z = \arctan\left(\frac{y}{x}\right) - \arctan\left(\frac{\sqrt{y^2+x^2}}{\sqrt{x^2+y^2}}\right)$$

$$y = r \sin \theta$$

$$x = r \cos \theta$$

$$\begin{aligned}&\approx \arctan(\tan \theta) \\&= \theta\end{aligned}$$

$$\boxed{z = \theta}$$

If  $w = k(x, y, z)$

$$x = f(s, t)$$

$$y = g(s, t)$$

$$z = h(s, t)$$

$$(w = k(f(s, t), g(s, t), h(s, t)))$$

$$\frac{\partial w}{\partial s} = \cancel{\frac{\partial k}{\partial x}} \cdot \cancel{\frac{\partial x}{\partial s}} + \frac{\partial k}{\partial y} \cdot \cancel{\frac{\partial y}{\partial s}} + \cancel{\frac{\partial k}{\partial z}} \cdot \cancel{\frac{\partial z}{\partial s}}$$

$$\frac{\partial w}{\partial t} = \cancel{\frac{\partial k}{\partial x}} \cdot \cancel{\frac{\partial x}{\partial t}} + \cancel{\frac{\partial k}{\partial y}} \cdot \cancel{\frac{\partial y}{\partial t}} + \cancel{\frac{\partial k}{\partial z}} \cdot \cancel{\frac{\partial z}{\partial t}}$$